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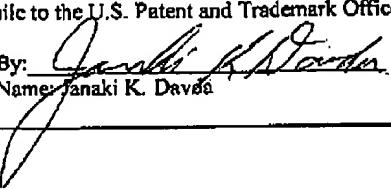
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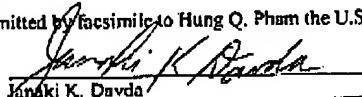
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Dear Sir:

This Amendment is in response to the Notice of Allowance dated January 19, 2006, in  
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Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.**

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